FA

E. T. Day Attempted to Drown This can truthfully be said of

Himself in Dock.

WOULD-BE SUICIDE RESCUID

William Daffron, One of Richmond's Oldest Merchants Passes Away at Addres Son's Residence in Pittsburg. Pa-Cases in United States Court.

(Special to the Daily Press.)
RICHMOND. VA., Jan. 12.—The spreading out of his overcoat, together spreading out of his overcoat, together with the energetic efforts of officials and employes of the Old Dominion Steamship Company and a nearby sarl or today probably saved the life of Edward T. Day, about 45 years old, a sigarmaker by trade, who attempted sulcide by jumping into the dock from the Old Dominion whatf.

Day was removed to the city alms house by Dr. Perkins, who responded to a hurry call with the ambulance. The would-be suicide was unconscious them, but Dr. Perkins thought he world recover.

Investigation showed that he entered a grocery stere in the neighborhood at about 9:30 a. m. asked for a piere of paper to write on, and scribbled two

paper to write on, and scribbled two notes. He was somewhat doubtful about the spelling of the word "testimony" and asked how to spell it. He, however, got it wrong on his note.

Copies of both notes are given below. The notes were written on pieces of wranging paper.

low." The notes were written on pieces of wrapping paper.
It "This is the last tesmoity that I made on earth. I leave my wife in charter of Mr. Brody (or Brady.) I go to my death warrant." This note had no subscription or signature.
The second note reads: "From Anorthew Donati. He will attend to your case." I gave my life for you. I love you. Goodbye my dear wife.
"EDW. T. DAY."
Walking to the wharf, he tendered

Walking to the wharf he tendered to notes to Captain James Levland, of the Old Deminion Company. The capthe however, thought drunk and did not take the notes. Day then approached Agent William May-er, to whom he handed inc notes, telling him to take them into the of-tion

Doy then walked to the open part of the wharf and sat upon the edge, Cap-tain Leyland remarked that he thought the man was going to jump

thought the man was going to jump diverbeard.

Suddenly, at 9:40 a. m. Day did throw hinself down the wharf. He struck the water with his face down but did not go beneath the surface entirely. This is attributed to the fact that his overcost spread out while he fell and acted as a Hie preserver.

A deck hand on the dredge nearby jumped into a boat and rowed to Lay, whom he grasped. A line was then passed from the wharf and Captain Leyland, together with Agent Mayer and others, got Day ashore.

Day's name does not appear in the city directory, but he is well known to the local police as a drinking man and a sort of "ne'er do well." He has a wif, end two or three children, and his last address is said to have been in Twenty fourth street.

Late: Fay was pronounced out of danger.

William Daffron Dead.

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Councilman A. J. Daffron received word this morning that his father. William Paffron. 71 years eld, died last night in the home of his sen. William H. Daffron in Pittsbarr. The body will be brought here for burial temorrow in Mt. Calvary centerry.

Mr. Daffron was born in Dublin, Ire. Jand. and. came. 10, Avertica in 1888.

Mr Dahron was born in Deblin, Ire-land ant came to America in 1866 landing in New York Shortly after-wards be moved to Fhiladelphia and then to Richmend, He was engaged in the familiere business in Rich-merst and Manchester about twenty years, having moved to Pittslang about two years ago. He is survived by five sons and three

Genghers as fellows: A. J. of Manchester: William H. and J. M. of Pittsburg, Thomas A., of Richmond, and Robert E. of Richmond: Mrs. F. T. Vetterlein and Miss Suc Paffron, of Philadelphia and Mrs. Charles R. Keiley, of New York

Two Cases For Trial.

Thing hrey Yales, charged with tolling a postoffice sack between West Point and Urbana will be tried tomorrow in the United States District Coura. The case of the Donaldson Charles are rected a wharf that projects into, the channel at Urbana will also be heard. The Donardson Schultz Company is a Baltimere concern with a branch bease at Urbana. The company is a Baltimere concern with a branch bease at Urbana. The company manufactures pickles.

Of the World, will hold an important meeting this evening, when several candidates will be initiated into they mysteries of "wood chopping."

The camp is making arrangements for a public installation of officers on next Friday evening, when a program will be rendered in Odd Fellows' hall.

Left For the North.

Mr Charles Kaufman left last evening for Baltimore and other points in the north.

Captured Guns and Ammunition.

(By Associated Press.) TOKIO, Jan. 12.—General Nogi reports that the Japanese captured at Edward Habre, of Pittsburg, are report Action 546 guns, 82,670 shells, 20,000 kilos of powder and 2,266,800 Fewer callons: wears longer: Devoc

NEWS OF RICHMOND Making Friends

Jell-O Ice Cream POWDER

HAMPTON NEWS

(Continued)

The contest will prove very close exciting as each of the contestand exciting as each of the ants is very popular with the men of the company.

The election will take place on Tuesday evening.

S. S. PHOEBUS A COUNCILMAN.

Former Resident of This Section on Atlantic City Council.

Mr. Samuel S. Phoebus, proprietor of the Wittshire hotel, in Atlantic City, and son of Mrs. Annie J. Phoebus, who resides on Phoebus bay, has been appointed a member of the city council of Atlantic City by the mayor of the city. Mr. Phoebus took the seat in Mr. Phoebus took the seat in the council on Tuesday evening and has been made a member of the finance and educational committee of the coun-cil.

The Atlantic City papers speak in

The Atlantic City papers speak in the most complimentary terms of Mr. Phoebus and add that his selection to the council is most gratifying to the peeple of Atlantic City.

PERSONALS AND BDIEFS.

The Coming and Going of the People You Know.

Miss Hazel Joynes, who has been visiting Miss Nellie Wood, in Mallory avenue, will return to her home in Richmond this morning. Miss Wood will accompany here. will accompany her

Mr. J. D. Miller returned yesterday from a business trip in North Caro-lina.

Mr. J. V. Bickford, who has been in New York and Baltimore, returned to his home in Hampton yesterday.

Mr. A. W. Crevasse returned to his noise in Jacksonville, Fla., Wednesday, aftern a visit to Mr. and Mrs. George R. Wood.

Polk Miller Pleased Big Crowd.

Polk Miller and his "Old South Quar-ette" were greeted by a large and cery appreciative audience in Pythian very appreciative audience in Pythian Castle hall last night. Mr. Miller told a number of good stories, sang several songs and pleased his audience with his work on the banjo. The singing of the quartette is a feature. It was Mr. Miller's second appearance in Hampton and his audience last evening was made up of many of those who heard him on the former visit, thus showing Mr. Miller's popularity as an entertainer in Hampton.

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Entertained the Amateurs.

The fifty or sixty people of the "Gondotier" company were entertained in Armory hall last night by their manager, Mr. Robert J. Traylor. The manager, Mr. Robert J. Traylor. The ovening was given up to many inter-esting amusements and dancing. Smidt's orchestra furnished the music. During the evening delicious refresh-ments were served. ments were served.

Woodman Meet This Evening.

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George M'Coy, Found Nearly Frozen Under a Fodder Stack and Mrs. Alice Kline, His Prospective Mother-in-Law, is Arrested.

(Special to the Daily Press.)
INDEPENDENCE, VA. Jan. 12.—
Mrs. Alice Kline is under suspicion of
being a female Svengall and a charge
has already been made against her
for isdnapping George McCoy. 19;
years old, said to be simple-minded.
McCoy was courting one of Mrs.
Kline's daughters against the wishes
of the mother. She is said to have
taken hypnotic measures in order to
cure him of his infatuation. It is
charged that she caught the eye; of
the young man and gained control of (Special to the Daily Press.)

the young man and gained control of his mind. Then it is alleged, she told him that he must go to a certain fodder stack and be sure to remain there until she told him to leave.

The young man had never remain-

Transferred to the Jurisdiction of the Postmaster General,
(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Postmaster General Wynne as issued an order transferring the entire corps of postoffice inspectors from the jurisdiction of the fourth assistant postmaster general and placing them under the postmaster general. The young man had never remained from home over night, and when he was missed fears were felt for his safety. Searching parties went out and he was found after two days and nights in a fodder stack. The weather was litter and he was nearly frozen. Doran-O'Sullivan Nuptials.

(Special to the Daily Press.)

RICHMOND, VA., Jan. 12.—In the Church of the Sacred Heart this evening Miss Bessie O'Sullivan was united in marriage to Mr. William James Doran. The sanctuary was decorated with palms and potted plants. Mr. J. Louis Sullivan played the wedding march, and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father J. B. O'Reilly, assisted by the Rev. Father McKeefrey, of St. Patrick's church.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of white accordion plaited crepe dechine built on a foundation of chiffon and silk. Miss Mamie McSweeney was the maid of honor. The bride's sister, Miss Ellie O'Sullivan, was attired in cream albatross, garnitured with pearl passementerie and cream lace. She wore a blue picture hat. The best man was Mr. W. H. Welsiger, and the ushers were: Messrs. James Kirk, John Doran, Herbert McMinn and Walter Maloney. Mr. Doran and his bride will take a trip to Washington. Phila-

nights in a fodder stack. The weather was bitter and he was nearly frozen to death. Parts of his body were black with cold.

So certain were the McCov friends that the young man had met foul play that Charles Isom. son-in-law of Mrs. (Kline. was arrested on suspicion of having murdered him. The magistrate had gone so far as to have a witness put on the stand when McCoy was found alive but nearly frozen to the fodder stack.

Plysicians say that it is doubtful whether McCoy will recover from the

whether McCoy will recover from the effects of his exposure. Mrs. Kline denies the charge of hypnotizing the youth but is being held for indictment for kidnapping.

MURDER SEEMS IMPROBABLE

TESTIMONY SHOWS THAT TAWA FERRO WAS ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Witnesses Repeat Statements Made by Negro Before His Death-Investigation Continues Today.

The testimony heard yesterday at the ceroner's inquest over the remains of William Talisferro. alias Sewell, tended to upset the theory of the Warwick county officials that the negro was murdered. There seems to be no reason to doubt the anti-mortem statement of the negro, which was to the effect that he accidentally shot himself, and unless the authorities have information which they have not made public, there is little excuse for holding Dick Walker, the negro who is in Jail charged with murdering Taliajail charged with murdering Talia-

years.

ferro.

Taliaferro was shot aboard the oyster schooner Z. E. Beauchamp, owned by Captain Mench, while the vessel was at anchor in Warwick fiver two weeks ago. The shooting occurred about 11 o'clock at night and according to the story, Walker and Taliaferro were the only persons aboard the schooner.

The following morning the wounded man was brought to this city, being the way was brought to this city, being

the following morning the wounded man was brought to this city, being attended at the hospital by Dr. A. C. Jones, the marine surgeon, assisted by Doctors Aylett and Williams. The negra clung to life until Wednesday night, although the wound would have filled an ordinary man instantly.

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Dr. B. R. Garv, the corener, conducted an inquest at Rouse's undertaking establishment vesterday morning Only two witnesses were examined. Dr. Jones and George May, a negro attendant at the hospital.

Dr. Jones testified concerning the nature of the wound demonstrating that it could have been made only by the discharging of both barrels of a shot gam, simultaneously, if close range, with the weapon on an even plane with the body. He said the negro told him, in the presence of witnesses, that the gun was in his bunk on the schencer when he went to sleep and that he must have discharged it while rolling about in his sleep. He said further that Taliaferro expressly denied that he was on bad terms with Welker.

George May corroborated Dr. Jones testimony and spoke of several conversations he had with Taliaferro.

George May corroborated Dr. Jones testimony and spoke of several coversations he had with Taliaferro. in which the wounded man stated that he shot himself.

Sheriff S. S. Curtis, of Warwick, who arrested Walker, was present during the latter part of the inquest, but he was not sworn. He claims that Walker was discharged from the Beauchamp by Captain Mench on information given by Taliaferro and that fer that reason he shot him.

The jury adjourned over until today at 11 o'clock, when the schooner on which the shooting occurred will be examined.

Semi-Annual Examinations.

The mid-session examinations in the High school will begin next Tuesday. For the past three sessions the pupils of the High school have been given three examinations each session, but this year the program has been changed and only two are now being given during a session.

Liquor License Granted. Judge Barham, in the Corporation Court, has granted a license to W. P. Furey to conduct a saloon at 3829

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